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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

FRANK SANTOS, DIANE QUALLS, and
REBECCA JOHNSON, on behalf of
themselves and all others similarly situated,
Plaintiffs,

v.

COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS OF ALAMEDA COUNTY,
ALAMEDA COUNTY SOCIAL SERVICES
AGENCY, and CHET HEWITT, in his
capacity official capacity as Director of the
Alameda County Social Services Agency; and
DOES 1-10, inclusive,
Defendants.

Case No. C04-02725 (JCS)

**JOINT STIPULATION RE: EXTENSION
OF TIME TO NEGOTIATE
ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS:
REQUEST FOR COURT ORDER**

JUDGE: Hon. Joseph C. Spero
DEPT: Courtroom 15th Floor

STIPULATION

On October 5, 2005 the Court approved the Settlement Agreement in the above-referenced case. Section XI of the Agreement, Attorneys' Fees, Costs and Expenses, provides:


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Counsel for plaintiffs and defendants have agreed to extend their deadline for meeting and conferring to attempt to settle plaintiffs' claims for attorneys' fees and costs from January 5, 2005 to March 6, 2005. Because the resolution of attorneys' fees and costs is under the jurisdiction of the Court, the parties are requesting that the Court authorize this stipulated modification of their Agreement.

Respectfully Submitted,

DATED: December 21, 2005

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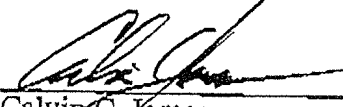
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1 IT IS SO ORDERED

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3 DATED: Jan. 3, ²⁰⁰⁶~~2005~~


The Honorable Joseph C. Spero

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